

US EPA ARCHIVE DOCUMENT

AGENCY: ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY (EPA)

TITLE: Community-Scale Air Toxics Ambient Monitoring

ACTION: Request for Proposals (RFP)

RFP: EPA-OAR-OAQPS-15-01

CFDA: 66.034

SUMMARY: Formal Agency responses to questions regarding the subject RFP

DATE: November 20, 2014

Q1: Would an agency be able to apply for the Community-Scale Air Toxics grant to help make up for funds already spent?

A1: No. The entire project's budget would be for pre-award costs, which would require approval before the project is funded.

Q2: Are cities eligible to apply?

A2: Eligible entities under this RFP are air pollution control agencies, as defined by Section 302(b) of the Clean Air Act (see definition below), that are also eligible to receive grants under section 105 of the Clean Air Act, and/or federally recognized tribes.

CAA Section 302(b)

The term "air pollution control agency" means any of the following:

(1) A single State agency designated by the Governor of that State as the official State air pollution control agency for purposes of this chapter.

(2) An agency established by two or more States and having substantial powers or duties pertaining to the prevention and control of air pollution.

(3) A city, county, or other local government health authority, or, in the case of any city, county, or other local government in which there is an agency other than the health authority charged with responsibility for enforcing ordinances or laws relating to the prevention and control of air pollution, such other agency.

(4) An agency of two or more municipalities located in the same State or in different States and having substantial powers or duties pertaining to the prevention and control of air pollution.

(5) An agency of an Indian tribe.

See Section 105 of the Clean Air Act at <http://www.epw.senate.gov/envlaws/cleanair.pdf>